

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Curtis R. PRIEM

Serial No.: 10/804,945

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR LATENCY BASED THREAD SCHEDULING

Confirmation No.: 9182

Group Art Unit: 2111

Examiner: Thomas J. Cleary

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Decision on Appeal dated November 23, 2011, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on January 23, 2012, please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/NVDA/P000455/SW for any additional fees, including extension of time fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.